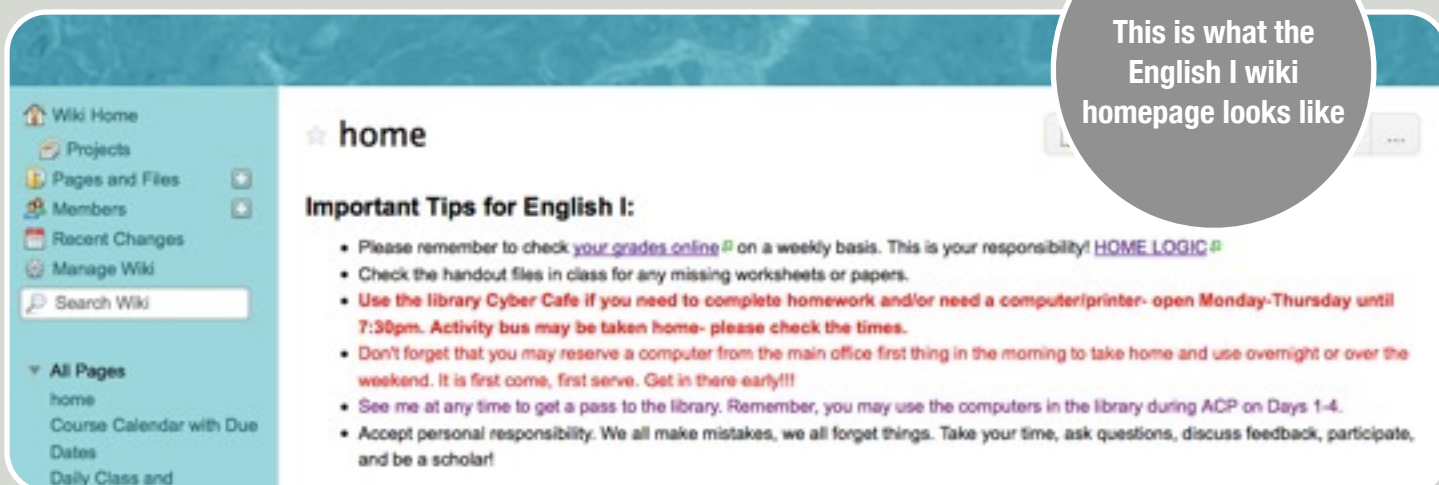


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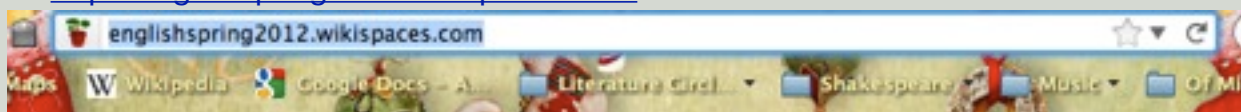
This is what the English I wiki homepage looks like



Below are the quick and easy steps to access English I course information, assignments, due dates, and resources.

Step One: Open Internet Explorer, Firefox, or Safari and type:

<http://englishspring2012.wikispaces.com/> in the address bar.



Step Two: Use the links to the left to navigate through the site.

Home- provides basic information on how to obtain help from me, grades, and computers to complete assignments at home.

Course Calendar with Due Dates- provides a calendar look at when assignments are due for submission in class.

Daily Class and Communication Main Wiki- Provides an overview of each day of class- assignments given, homework assignments, handouts, etc... Please check with your student to identify if he/she is in period one, two, or three so you may accurately track progress, class work, and homework.

Documents for Class- This is the location of **most** handouts given in class. If your student loses a handout, check here and reprint at home or at the library in school.

Literature Review- This link provides access to many of our readings from class. These may be links to other websites that host the literature, PDF documents (which can be printed at school if necessary), video clips, podcasts, or Microsoft Word documents. This is a great resource for students when they study for a test or exam.

What else can I see on the English I wiki?

YOUR Student's Wiki Work:

Each student in English I and Honors English I will create his/her own wiki page in class. They will write at least two entries and post them in class. Since these are websites, they are updated automatically, and if completed correctly, can be viewed right away. I will link your child's wiki site to my main page. Just click on the link to the left for your child's class period, find his/her first name, and explore your child's efforts. **All work is protected!**

You can also check your child's editing history. Simply go to your student's page and click on the link that reads "**Recent Changes**" to see if your child has worked on the page recently, met deadlines, or edited the work in any way.

My Examples and Expectations:

Most of my wiki assignments will include examples and/or

expectations. Please review the detailed assignments to help your student perform to expectation.

Problem Solving and Solutions:

As I see students struggling in class, I will provide extra help and suggestions through the wiki site. This allows the student to explore alternative resources in the comfort of his/her home.

English I Wiki Links

Period One:

[Austin](#)

[Monica](#)

[Nathan](#)

This is what the student wiki page will look like. Just click on your child's link!

What's in a name?

This week I would like you to tell the history behind your name. Ask a parent or relative to explain the meaning behind your name. Why did your parent give you that particular first name? Do you have a middle name? If no, why not? If so, what is it and what is the meaning behind that name? What is the history and/or heritage behind your last name? This entry should be three paragraphs in length. The page title should be Journal 2 and you should provide a the title, "What's in a Name?" at the top of your entry.

What do I do if my parents can't tell me anything about my name?

Option 1: Search this site: [name meaning](#)

Identify what your name means and write that as your story. Don't forget to cite your source (<http://www.kabelarians.com/cfm/first-name-meaning.cfm>).

Option 2: It's a narrative.

Be creative and embellish a bit. Tell what you think the history of your name is or what it should be.

Accessing the Site:

You can type the wiki address directly into the address bar on your computer, or you can access the page through my

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teacher website page. If you use the school website, simply go to Teacher Websites, Language Arts, Mrs. Katie Anderson, and the wiki link will be on the left.

DID YOU KNOW:

STUDENTS CAN GO TO THE LIBRARY DURING ACP MOST DAYS TO USE THE COMPUTERS AND THE PRINTERS?

STUDENTS CAN SIGN OUT A COMPUTER FROM THE MAIN OFFICE TO TAKE HOME ON WEEK NIGHTS OR WEEKENDS (FIRST COME FIRST SERVED).

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**CONFUSED? NEED
HELP?**

**COME SEE YOUR
TEACHER ASAP!**

Wikispaces Student Resource-

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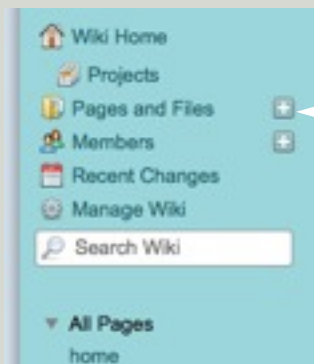
Go
to
www.wikispaces.com
and go to the top
right corner and
click "sign In"

IMPORTANT: EXPLORE THE SITE A LITTLE TO HAVE A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE RESOURCE!

FORGOT YOUR LOGIN?

CHECK YOUR PLANNER! YOU SHOULD HAVE WRITTEN DOWN YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD IN CLASS THE FIRST DAY WE CREATED ACCOUNTS! **If you still have an unsuccessful login, you may need to create a new account.**

Once you see your account on the screen, select the wiki page you created for English I. Click on the link.



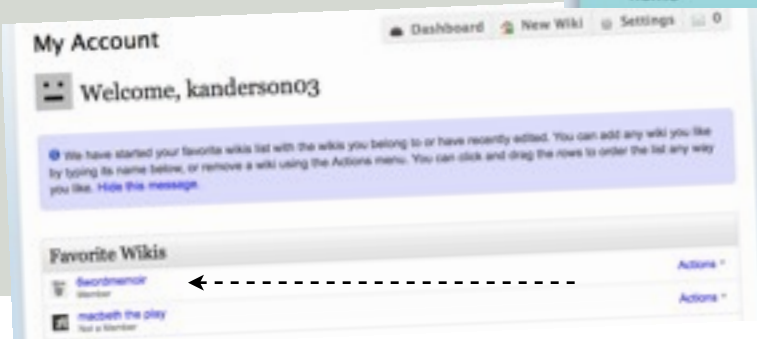
GETTING STARTED ON A NEW ENTRY:

To create a new wiki page on your wiki, select the plus (+) sign next to "pages and files"

Type in the name for the new page and select "create."

Type on the page. ALWAYS INCLUDE A CREATIVE TITLE.

SAVE, SAVE, SAVE! You must save the page for it to upload online. If you don't save, I don't see it!



IMPORTANT INFORMATION!!!

TYPE ALL ENTRIES INTO A MICROSOFT WORD OR GOOGLE DOCUMENT FIRST. Then copy and paste into your wiki. This will allow you to save your work in case the internet goes down while you are working. Use SPELL CHECK as the wiki does not offer this resource!